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Names For New Warships.

Washington June 25-The secretary of the navy has authorized the following names for the new battleships and armored cruisers: Battleships-Virginia, Rhode Island, Maryland, Colorado and South Dakota. Armored cruisers—St. Louis, Milwaukee and Charleston.

#### CUBANS ARE ANXIOUS. Want to Know What the United

States Intend to Do.

(Cor. of The Associated Press.) Havana, June 19 .- Now that the election is over the people are beginning to ask what they have gained by it and what is going to happen next. The business men of the island, also the agriculturists, are asking and begging General Wood for some specific declarations as to what America intends to do, as there is no question but that the country is beginning to feel the effects of eighteen months delay in an announcement of some kind. Capital has not come into the island. Some large areas of land have been soid, the money for which has some to Shoir but money for which has gone to Spain, but on the other hand practically nothing is being done. Many sugar estates have not been put into operation, as the people owning them do not feel abso-lutely sure that they will not be again sacrificed to the ravages of guerilla

warfare.

The trouble is that men loud in their calls for independence are the first to fear that they will get it. One Cuban high official, drawing \$6,000 a year as salary, does not even keep his savings in the island, and he makes no secret of his readiness to get out, no matter what happens, when the necessary time

General Wood and all the secretaries receive innumerable letters from capitalists asking when something definite will be decided upon, as they do not wish to invest until they know certainly what sort of government Cuba is going to have, most of them being afraid that the island will be turned over without the United States retaining a form of

The Cubans claim that their actions The Cubans claim that their actions during the election have proved them competent for self government. Certainly there were no fights or disturbances. Apparently very little real interest was felt in Havana on the subject. There was no bolsterous crowd outside the city hall waiting to hear the result, and the people were content to get the news from the morning papers next day.

#### SO DID ROOSEVELT.

D. B. Hill Says He Would Not Tak

Second Place Nomination.

Albany, N. Y., June 25.—Frank Campbell, chairman of the Democratic state committee came to town today and spent the morning in cless conference with former United States Senator David B. Hill, at the latter's home at Wolfort's Roost. Speaking of the possible selection of Senator Hill as temporary chairman of the Democratic national convention to be held at Kansas City July 4. Mr. Campbell said he knew nothing about any such arrangement and did not think it would be proper to barter the chairmanship for any valuable concession that might be secured in formulating the platform.

Mr. Campbell further stated that the New York state delegation would earnestly advocate a modification of the plank which calls for the free coinage of silver at 18 to 1.

Mr. Campbell is authority for the state-Second Place Nomination.

at 16 to 1.

Mr. Campbell is authority for the statement that Seintor Hill is not a candidate for the vice presidency on the Democratic ticket, and would not accept the honor under any consideration.

Senator Hill, accompanied by Chairman Campbell, will leave for Kansas City on Friday, arriving there on Saturday.

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Account annual meeting of the National Educational Association. Tickets on sale July 1, t, b and T. Final limit Sept. 1st. Passengers may go one way and return via another, except, that the same route must be used north of the Ohio River and West of Memphis. We also have a rate going or returning via Washington. D. C. for \$44.60. The same route must be used west of Chicago, St. Louis or Memphis. Stop overs will be allowed at Washington within the final limit of Sept. 1st. This will enable passengers to visit New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and the Atiantic Coast resorts.

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Now Handball Champion. Now Handball Champion.

Chicago, June 25.—The handball championship of the world is now claimed by John Flingerald. A short time ago he met William Carney for the championship. A series of fifteen games were to have been played but Flingerald won seven straight. The second series was scheduled for today but Carney did not appear to contest. Flingerald announces that he is open to meet any man in the world.

Robbed and Fired the House. San Francisco, June 25.—A burglar entered the residence of E. S. Cederberg in this city while the family were away, bound Mrs. Lillian Ross, the nurse, to a bed on which a baby was sleeping, robbed the house, poured coal oil on the flaor and after igniting it made his escape. The flames were discovered by neighbors just in time to prevent the cremation of the woman and child. The robber secured 120 in gold and some jewelry.

Editor Russell Dead.

Chicago, June 25.-Martin J. Russell, Chicago, June 22.—Martin J. Russen, one of the proprietors and editor of the Chicago Chromicle, and for many years identified with the management of Chicago newspapers, died last fight at Mackinac island from a complication of Mackinac island from a complex for the Mackinac island from the Mackin

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Miss Anna Murphy was the guest of honor at a pleasant affair Saturday evening given by Mrs. C. F. Whitney and her sister, Miss Elizabeth Smith, at the home of Mrs. Whitney on West Sixth avenue. In one corner of the invita-

avenue. In one corner of the invitations sent out last week was the request for each guest to bring a bit of
advice suitable for a bride and of course
a great deal of merriment was caused
by the delivering of it.

The guests enjoyed several readings
by Miss Clara Crum, and plano numbers by Miss Mabel Martin, Miss Julia
Whitney and Mr. Bayard Whitney. The
rooms were daintly decorated with nasturtiums, sweet peas and other seasonable blossoms. Refreshments were
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The guests included, besides the guest of honor, Rev. and Mrs. D. M. Pisk, Dr. and Mrs. L. Blakesley, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Chauser, Mr. Broad, Miss Harriet Broad, Miss Alice Davidson of Chicago, Miss Lilian Preeman, Miss Willa Tomilinson, Miss Ella Ramsey, Miss Sarah Beck, Miss Belle Welch, Miss Anna Banks, Miss Mabel Martin, Miss Mabel McCliffin, Miss Edith Moore, Mrs. J. VanHouten, Miss Mary Barkley, Mrs. O. P. M. McClintock, Miss Beulah Lee.

Notes and Personal Mention. Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Stoddard of Kansas City spent Sunday in Topeka. Mrs. A. W. Tanner returned to her home in Emporia Sunday after a ten days visit with Topeka friends. Mrs. George A. Tincher and daughter Ruth are spending a week with rela-tives in Chicago.

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Mrs. J. F. Jarrell and children returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit in Quincy, Illinois.

Mr. Harry Norris of St. Joe spent Sunday with friends in Topeka.

Mrs. Lee Jones returned today from a two weeks' visit in Kansas City.

"Miss Windfred Wagner is to be the guest of honor at several informal affairs this week. This aftermoon Mrs. Frank Davis is entertaining at a china shower in her honor, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barnes give a dinner for her and Mr. Bennett this evening. Tuesday afternoon Miss Vera Low will entertain informally and in the evening Miss Ednac Crane is to entertain.

The Raiston Health club will give its annual basket plenic Tuesday afternoon, June 26, at Garfield park at 4 p. m. The families and friends of the members are cordially invited to attend.

Little Mary Shuler entertained a number of her kindergarten friends at an lice cream party Friday afternoon at her home on Seward avenue. Those present were, Arlene Peak Helen Downing. Hazel and Verna Taylor, Leona Orner, Ruth Adams, Gerry Burton, Alice Smelser and Lamont McNeal.

G. P. Kennely is spending a few days with relatives in Junction City. Dr. and Mrs. A. H. Thompson entertained at a very delightful dinner Saturday evening complimentary to Miss Anna Whitelock and Mr. Albert Patten. The guests included besides the guests of honor, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis, Miss Mary Thompson, Miss Agnes Lee of Kansas City, Mr. John Waters, Mr. Will Alexander.

Eugene Howe, from Paris, his sister, Miss Mattel and father and Miss Nellie Webb of Atchison spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. MacLennan.

Miss Agnes Lee returned to Kansas City Sunday morning after a short visit with her aunt, Mrs. A. H. Thompson.

Mrs. L. B. Datley and children who have been spending several months in Colorado with her mother, arrived in Topeka Sunday. They will leave this week from Chicago, where she has been studying art.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Patten entertained

from Chicago, where she has been studying art. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Patten entertained the Davis-Whitelock bridal party at a charming dinner Sunday evening. Pink and white was the color scheme; pink satin ribbons crossed the table diagon-ally and the center piece was of sweet

peas.

Mrs. R. T. Payne left Saturday for a Mrs. R. T. Payne left Saturday for a visit with relatives in Rushville, Mo. The last of the week she will go to Kansas City where her daughters, Mrs. S. T. Fuiton and son Darrow, and Misses Anna and Jessie Payne will join her and all go to Petoskey for the summer. Miss Ethel Shay of Emporia is in the city visiting Mrs. E. H. Anderson on Twier street.

The West Side Reading circle will meet Tuesday afternoon, June 26, at the home of Mrs. W. W. Cook. Miss Musette Renwick and Mr. Chas.

Miss Musette Renwick and Mr Chas.
Crawford were married Sunday evening at the First Christian church, at the close of the regular services, Rev. F. W. Emerson officiating.
Mr. Frank Cain, who has been with the Santa Fe at Ottawa, has been transferred to Chanute; he spent Sunday in Topeka with his brother, Mr. Dan Cain.
Mr. Clarence Poindexter left today for visit in Beafford ind. after which he

Miss Mamie Scott of Oklahoma City spent a few days in Topeka last week, the guest of Miss Dollie Martin. Mrs. James Shadel of Hiawatha is in the city visiting Mrs. C. G. Colburn. She came over for the Davis-Whitelock wedding last week.

Mrs. Frank Lindsay of St. Louis will wedding last week.

Mrs. Frank Lindsay of St. Louis will
arrive Wednesday to visit Miss Lillian
Valentine for a few days.

Miss Birdie Stoker has returned from

Wellesley college.
Miss Anna Tully will leave Wednesday for a slx weeks' visit in Las Vegas.

present.
A surprise party was given for Joseph Bayless by his sister Clara, Friday evening. Those present were Misses Gertie Wise, Grace Foley, Florence Polay, Gara Hughes, Ella Fuller, Mullie Hughes, Alice Alstore, Edna Dana and Clarence Foley, Shirley King, Earl Littlefield, Clarence Fuller, Eugene F.



Bayless, George Hughes, James Little-field, Barton Holland, Harry Strugis, Grover Shillinglaw.

Miss Mary Jennings is visiting in Law-Frank Lindsay has returned from St. Louis.

Fourth of July goods are now on exhibi-tion in Kansas avenue windows. Archdeacon Crawford efficiated at the Episcopal church in El Dorado Sunday. The City Troop will meet tonight in full uniform at Ninth and Harrison streets.

The state temperance commission will meet tomorrow night at the Christian

Works question.

Topeka physicians complain of a healthful condition of affairs. The fever season
has not yet opened.

Curtis Bailey is in Chicago. He will
visit his parents in Columbus, Ohio, before returning home.

The Sunflower league will meet tonight
in Frank S. Thomas' office, corner of
Fifth and Kansas avenue.

J. D. Bowernock congressman in the

iling M. N. Butler, of this city.

J. W. Gleed will speak before the First Preshyterian Christian Endeavor society next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

A heavy shower of rain fell in the business portion of the city last night. In the western portion of the city no rain fell.

The Bock Island team defeated the Santa Fe team in a game of ball at the Lowman Hill grounds Saturday afternoon by a score of 21 to 12.

Miss Lizzie E. Wooster is on the programme for the annual meeting of the department of Indian education at Charleston, S. C., July 5-13.

Congressman Curils will arrive in To-

Charleston, S. C., July 5-13.

Congressman Curits will arrive in Topeka on the Rock Island at 8 o'clock this evening. The flambeau club and band will meet and escort him home.

W. W. Carr, who has for several years been the Associated Press operator of the State Journal, has accepted a position with the Santa Fe at La Junta.

A meeting of the newsboys will be held this evening at Metropolitan hall at 8 o'clock. Arrangements will be made at this time for their annual plenie.

The editor of every weekly bemocratic

Atchison Globe: Governor Stanley is a good deal like a woman we know. He has spent but fourteen of the last ninety days in his office, but announces that he must go away for a needed rest.

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D. C. Crosby, brother of H. D. Crosby,
M. A. Low's private secretary, writes
from the Philippines where he is serving
with the United States troops that he
wishes he could get home to Kansas.

J. B. Zinn, who has returned from a
trip through the eastern states advises
Kansas farmers to hold their hay this
year, thinking that it will be worth much
money because of the scarcity in the east.

Republicans of the Second precinct of

Republicans of the Second precinct of the Fifth ward will meet at the old broom factory on Thirteenth street be-tween Quincy street and Kansas avenue, at 5 o'clock Tuesday evening to elect del-egates to the Republican league conven-

#### HE WAS NOT CURED. Patient Discharged From Insane Asylum Kills Two Men.

New Orleans, La., June 25.-William

Scranton, Pa., June 25.—The work of removing the Lackawanna Iron & Steel company's mills to Buffalo has been started. The carpenter shop is prepared for shinment to the new site on Lake Erie's shores, to serve as a head-quarters for the construction gang. The rest of the mills will follow as fast as conditions will permit.

The mills employ 2,000 men, and the company is capitalized at \$25,000,000. Inability to compete in the west, the present field of activity in the steel business, is given as the reason for the removal.

Small New Hampshire Fire. Laconia, N. H., June 25.—The Central block on Main street was gutted by fire last hight entailing a loss of nearly \$50,000.

## SNAP SHOTS AT HOME NEWS

The Shawnes county institute closes

Judge T. F. Garver is in Excelsior Springs. Three conventions were held in Topeka last week. Chief Justice Doster is visiting his Ma-rion home. Much interest is being manifested in the Topeka horse show.

S. J. Bear has returned from a trip to Cleveland and New York.

Mrs. Charles H. Ridgway has returned to Ottawa after an extended visit in To-

J. D. Bowersock, congressman in the Second district, is making a tour of inspection of his political fences.

S. C. Hart, of Lecompton, chairman of the Law and Order bursau, has been visiting M. N. Butler, of this city.

The editor of every weekly Democratic and Populist paper in Kansas is demand-ing tickets of admission to the press gal-lery for the Democratic national conven-

The annual social of the teachers' in-stitute will be held at the high school tomorrow evening. A programme of in-terest has been prepared. A barrel of lemonade will be on tap.

cridge and Mr. Burton, three months ago, arranged to trade speeches during the campaign. Burton's press agent is still doing business.

The regular announcement that no passes will be issued to the Democratic convention at Kansas City has been made by the railroads. These announcements are getting shop-wern. They are never the governing policy when the time comes. Politicians will ride on railroad passes as long as there is no more law than now exists against it.

The Railroad Curtis club, composed of

then now exists against it.

The Hailroad Curtis club, composed of Santa Fe men, will attend the reception siven to Congressman Curtis this evening. The Curtis club numbers about 800 members, and it is urged by the committee in charge that all the members meet at the old court house at 7:30. This will give a sufficient time for the club to march to the Rock Island depot to meet the 8 o'clock train.

H. Robinson, a man recently discharged H. Robinson, a man recently discharged from the state insane asylum as cured, today deliberately murdered William S. Stoessel in his own home. A crowd pursued him, threatening lynching, and he killed a young man named Whitaker, one of his pursuers, and shot a policeman. After running a mile he found refuge in the Parish prison, where Sheriff Klock and his men kept the crowd at bay with Winchesters until Robinson was locked up.

#### PUT OFF AT BUFFALO. Scranton Iron and Steel Works Removed to New York.

Fast Horses Not to Meet. New York, June 25.—The special race at a mile and a quarter which the Coney Island Jockey club offered with the hope of bringing Ethelbert, Kinley Mack, imp. Jean Beraud and Rilmannock together, falled to fill under the conditions, and the race is off. Perry Belmont entered Ethelbert and Wm. Whitney named Kilmarnock, but the other owners falled to come to time.

## The state revenue fund is getting low again. Jack Sharitt has returned from Law-rence. The Shawnes county institute closes. But what a saving it will be!!

No. 100 Suite, 20x24, French plate, was \$18, now.....\$15.00 No. 101 Suite, 24x30, French plate, was \$20, now......\$16.50

No. 104 Suite, 24x30, French plate, was \$21, now.....\$17.00

No. 105 Suite, 24x30, French plate, was \$22, now.....\$18.00 All Golden Finish, 2-top drawers, swell.

Dressing Table, Birdseye Maple, French legs, swell drawer, oval mirror-was \$12.00 \$17, now.....

2 Sideboards, Golden Oak, canopy top, upper swell drawers, French platewere \$35, now..... \$25.00

1 Sideboard, Golden Oak, swell upper drawers, large French plate, \$20.00 was \$28, now.....\$20.00

1 Sideboard, Golden Oak, swell drawers, 1 long drawer, 2 closets \$17.00

1 Dining Table, genuine mahogany, French legs, swell drawers, oval mirror, was \$18, now.. \$11.00

1 Chiffonier, 36 inches wide, Golden Oak, six swell drawers, French plate, was \$18-Now .....

1 Chiffonier, 33 inches wide, birdseye or mahogany, 18x20, mirror. 6 swell drawers, was \$30, now.....\$20.00

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## M. C. HOLMAN,

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It Is Lower in London Than in Any
Other Market

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New York, June 25.—The Times' London financial correspondent cables:

A small change has come over the bent of our money market, but whether it signifies more than the approach of the half yearly bank balance sheet framing I cannot yet say. Money, however, is now lower here than on any other European market, cheaper even than on the New York market when lengthened periods are concerned. Six months bank bills can be discounted at from 3 to 3½ per cent, which is a rate, I think unattainable on any other market in the world. Bills of shorter currency have become a little more difficult to manage since last Monday, but three months paper can still be melted at 2½ per cent, which is slightly below the finest quotation in Paris. Since the bank rate came down continental exchanges have moved so decidedly against London as to create a small demand for gold on the Bank of England, besides sweeping away every ounce of metal coming into the open market. As yet only French and German orders will go much furite and berlin, and I do not apprehend that German orders will go much furite and almost as high as it dared without exposing its bar gold to be drawn upon.

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upon.
I should be more confident under these circumstances that Germany would not hurt our market by taking large quantities of gold were your exchange as high now as when the week just passed began. New York's weakness aggravates the position and throws upon the London market whatever bullion demands Europe may generate.

Paris is at the moment the most threatening spot. Not only is French exchange low, but the power of the French bankers over our market is unusually strong through the spendings of visitors from all parts of the world now flocking into France to see the exhibition. When gold goes from the Bank of England to Paris on a depressed exchange it does so not in tens but in hundreds of thousands. If we can escape this danger, and get over the end of the half year without large gold exports to South Africa or any other quarter, it is possible that our discount market may slip back again, but it cannot be far or for long. We have seen, in my opinion, the lowest discount rates, at least for this year, and it would not surprise me were the bank rate to be raised again before July is out.

Nothing new is reportable about stocks and shares. Arbitrage business Paris is at the moment the most

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a national school of domestic science. The proposition is "to build a great training school for teachers of domestic science near the grave of the woman whose whole life was spent in the home, and whose influence, so potent in the future his tory of the country, was exerted in the home."

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Many prominent persons are interested in the movement.

ARKANSAS FOR HILL. Delegates to Democratic Convention Want New Yorker For Vice

Little Rock, Ark., June 25 .- A number of prominent delegates to Tuesday's Demo-cratic state convention were interviewed last night on the vice presidency, and a very strong sentiment in favor of David very strong sentiment in favor of David B. Hill, of New York, was found. Representative J. C. Parker, of Ouachita county, has started a movement which may result in the convention instructing the Arkansas delegation for the New Yorker. He says his section of the state is almost solld for Hill for vice president, and he is confident the convention will so instruct its delegates to Kansas City. Senators Jones and Berry, it is said, will oppose instructing for anybody.

Hurt in a Trolley Wreck. Chicago, June 25.—Several electric cars on the Evanston line were derailed Sunday afternoon and evening. In all four persons were seriously injured and several hundred received a severe shaking up. The injured: Mrs. John Applequist, bruised about body and face; Mrs. H. B. Poykins, bruised and injured internally; S. Engerson, face lacerated and shoulder bruised; Walter Schalk, aged four years, bruised and collar bone broken by striking against curb.

B. H. Roberts Fined. Salt Lake, Utah, June 25.—In the case of B. H. Roberts, found guilty of unlawful cohabitation, the judgment of the court was that he pay a fine in the sum of \$150 or in lieu thereof that he be imprisoned in the county hall for a period of 150 days. A thirty-days' stay was granted in order that the defendant might file a bill of exception.

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Damage by Fire and Water. Chicago, June 25.—Fire and water.
Chicago, June 25.—Fire and water
early today did 80.000 worth of damage
to the building and contents at 201-211
State street. The building was occupied
by a number of concerns, of which the
American resturant was the heaviest safferer, sustaining a loss of 510.000. A woman was carried down a ladder from the
third story by a fireman. Michael Ehret,
captain of an engine company, was badly
cut by falling glass.